

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. **YOR920030405US1**

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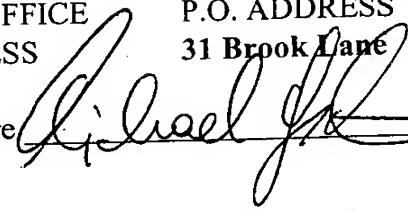
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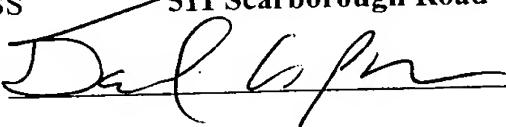
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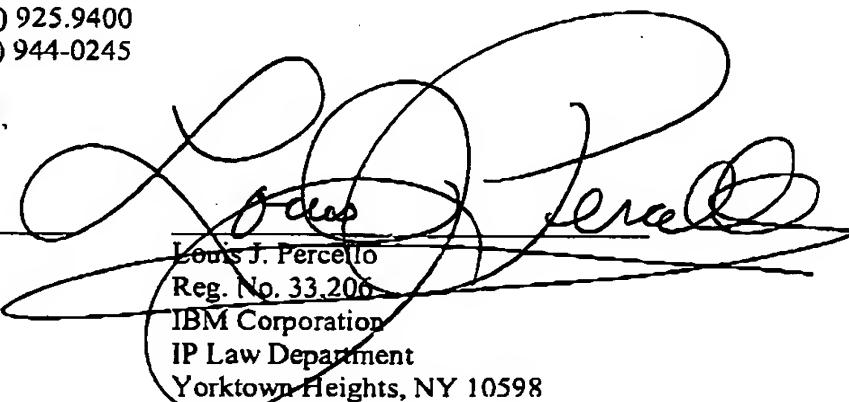
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